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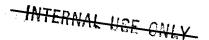
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10.	Met with Ed Braswell and James
Woolsey, Senate Armed Services Comm	nittee staff, whom I briefed on recent
intelligence developments (see preceed	ing item re Senator Young)
Braswell said he had again rais	ed with Senator Stennis the scheduling
of confirmation hearings for General W	alters but Stennis said he wanted to
finish up with the present series of hea	rings on some Defense matters before
taking up any additional questions. In v	view of this Broavell is confident
that the confirmation of General Walter	se will not come up before Therester
30 March, and probably not until the fol	llaring result
oo waten, and probably not until the 10.	nowing week.
11.	In the absence of Senator John W 25X
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Tunney (D., Calif.), I met with Miss M	lary Shinkwin of his staff. I informed
her that the decision to cancel permissi	ion for Mr. Silver to make some shots
of the interior of the Agency building fo	r the forthcoming film "Dangerfield"
had not been made by Mr. Helms. I ex	
matter with and it w	
advantage of the opportunity to use the	Agency building in the film since to
do so would require that we make an ex	ception of an established policy.
Miss Shinkwin, who was familiar with t	he background of this matter, said
she was sure Senator Tunney would app	reciate being informed of what had
actually happened. I asked her to renev	w my invitation to Senator Tunney
to come out and have breakfast with us	which she promised to do.
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12.	Met with Dick Schultz, Associate 25X1
Chief Counsel, House Security Committee	ee, and answered the questions he
proposed on the use of the Committee's	
(The information had been provided for a	me by Office of
Security.) Schultz concluded that the in-	
the Agency and said that this was consis	
the FBI and Civil Service Commission a	
facts will carry the day in what has grow	
assured me that the information I provide	
of the Committee's indices are off the re	



not want to get involved.

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25X1 25X1	Called Dick Schultz, Associate Chief Counsel, House Internal Security Committee, and based on the advice of Office of Security, told him that the Agency makes little or	е
25X1	no use of the Subcommittee's indices, but Mr. Schultz would still like to have the opportunity to discuss the matter further with an Agency Security representative which he is also going to do with the <u>Civil Service Commission and the FBI.</u> was advised. 2 (See Journal of 16 March 1972.)	5X1
25X1	Mr. Robert Hull, Department of State, called for a reaction to a memorandum he had sent me on a recommended position for State to take on the Office of Management and Budget's recommendations concerning the funding of the Foreign Service retirement system. (Copies of the papers in question have been sent to the General Counsel, Director of Personnel, and Director of Finance.)	-



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11. Met with Mrs. Dora McCracken,
Staff Assistant, House Foreign Affairs Committee, and received a copy
of the conference report to accompany S. 18, concerning grants to Radio
Free Europe and Radio Liberty. Mrs. McCracken told me that the
Committee staff as yet has heard nothing further concerning the alleged
report on dope in Thailand which according to Jack Anderson is to be
filed with the Committee by Representative Lester L. Wolff (D., N. Y.).

12. Met with Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Chief Clerk,
Senate Foreign Relations Committee, whom I had not seen since his

Senate Foreign Relations Committee, whom I had not seen since his return from his travels through the Far East and Europe with Senator Symington (D., Mo.). In brief, Mr. Kuhl told me that Senator Symington had excluded him and the military escort from all meetings with Agency personnel. The Senator, however, had seemed pleased with the treatment he received at the hands of the Agency.

13. Met with Mr. John R. Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and briefed him on the Soviet VTOL, the verflight, and Chinese CSS-1 ground support equipment.

14. Met with Messrs. John Martiny and Robert Lockhart, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee staff. and reviewed with them the need for exemption for the Agency from Section 2 and 3 of H. R. 3807, a bill to amend Title 5 of the United States Code to establish and govern the Federal Executive Service and for other purposes. In discussion with Mr. Lockhart, after Mr. Martiny had to leave the meeting, he pointed out that this is an Administration bill and is scheduled for hearings starting with the Chairman of the Civil Service Commission on 28 March solely as a result of a request by the Administration for consideration of the measure. Mr. Lockhart pointed out that although he did foresee little difficulty in the Agency convincing a member of the Committee to introduce the appropriate amendments on our behalf during Committee consideration of the bill, he would recommend serious consideration of reviewing the matter with the Civil Service Commission before the Chairman's appearance on the 28th. Since the bill is an Administration one, a mere request by the Chairman of the Civil Service Commission during his presentation on the 28th for an amendment on the Agency's behalf could be expected to be adopted with minimum discussion. He noted that we might want to consider suggesting to the Commission that there are other agencies as well as ours among those granted specific exemption from Section 1 of the bill that probably should be exempt from Section 2 and 3. I thanked Mr. Lockhart for his advice and told him I would be back in touch the first of the week. Mr. Warner, OGC and Mr. Fisher have been advised.

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Raver, Administrative Assistant to Representative George A. Goodling (R., Pa.), who inquired about the availability of the FBIS daily report for a former Washington newsman now residing in York, Penna. I told Mrs. Raver that the daily report may well be available to him in the Library of Congress depository in New York but that it is also available on subscription at \$60.00 a year. Mrs. Raver asked that we forward a copy of the FBIS subscription application for her use.

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Post Office and Civil Service Committee staff, who told me that the Chairman of the Civil Service Commission appeared before the full Committee today and gave a posture-type briefing for the Committee. No agenda items were discussed by the Committee. Next meeting of the full Committee will be scheduled for Thursday, 17 April.

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